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SUBJ: QATAR ACTS TO HELP RELIEVE UNDP RESOURCE DEFICIENCY

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1. THE UNITED NATIONS HAS ISSUED A PRESS RELEASE DATED NOVEMBER 15, IN WHICH IT IS ANNOUNCED THAT QATAR:

A) VOLUNTARILY RELINQUISHED THE \$1.5 MILLION IN GRANT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE IT WAS SCHEDULED TO RECEIVE FROM UNDP BETWEEN 1977 AND 1981;

B) WILL IN ADDITION MAKE A \$1.7 MILLION CONTRIBUTION TO THE REGIONAL CIVIL AVIATION TRAINING CENTER AT DOHA, WHICH UNDP SUPPORTS;

C) IS PRESENTLY HAVING DISCUSSIONS WITH UNDP CONCERNING ARRANGEMENTS THROUGH WHICH IT MAY CONTINUE TO RECEIVE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FROM UNDP ON A COST-REIMBURSEMENT BASIS.

2. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT QATAR WAS AMONG THE NATIONS THE US RECENTLY MENTIONED BY NAME IN ITS STATEMENT BEFORE THE SECOND COMMITTEE MADE ON NOVEMBER 15 ON OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES WHEN IT "APPLAUDED THOSE NATIONS WHICH AFTER
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REVIEWING THEIR OWN SITUATIONS, HAVE ANNOUNCED THEIR INTENTION

TO FOREGO PART OF ALL OF THEIR INDICATIVE PLANNING FIGURES
FOR UNDP'S SECOND FIVE YEAR PROGRAMMING "CYCLE."
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